

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 350**HOUSE BILL NO. 850**

**By Representatives Eldridge, Todd, Curtis Johnson, Larry Turner, Lollar,
Gresham, Bibb, Pitts, Dean, Yokley, Coley**

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 896

By Senators Ketron, Tate

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 41, Chapter 21, Part 2, relative to the sentence reduction credits awarded to certain inmates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 41-21-236, is amended by adding the following new (a)(2)(D):

(D) The sixty (60) days of educational good time credit authorized by subdivision (B) of this subsection shall also apply to any inmate who successfully received one of the degrees specified in subdivision (B) prior to July 1, 2006, as well as those receiving degrees after that date.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 17, 2007



JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 5th day of June 2007



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR